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REPLY TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION

In reply to the Office Communication mailed in the above-captioned case on December 24, 2002, Applicants resubmit a clean and a marked-up version of claims 1 and 2 in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.121.

CLEAN VERSION OF CLAIMS 1 AND 2

Kindly amend claims 1 and 2 to read as follows.

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1. (Amended) A method for determining the activity range of a test compound, which modulates the uptake of serotonin by a serotonin reuptake transporter (SERT), against a secondary target, said method comprising the steps of: